Alexandria Guzetie.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 16

LOCAL NEWS.

For this section fair weather, northerly winds, becoming variable.

WILLS PROBATED.—The will of the late Samuel H. Janney was admitted to probate in the Corporation Court to-day, and Mesers. S. Leadbeater and Phineas Januey qualified as executors. The property, which is valued at \$30,000, consisting of real estate and personal property, is left to his two grandchildren, Elizabeth M. and Mahlon H. Janney, though provision is made for his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Janney, of Loudoun

county. . The will of the late Owen Nugent was also admitted to probate in the Corporation Court to-day. The deceased leaves his property to his wife, Mrs. Mary Nugent, matter was referred to a committee, to realso admitted to probate in the Corporation and appoints his son, Owen Nugent, jr., as his executor. The latter to-day qualified as executor, giving bond for \$5,000.

NEW TRIAL GRANTED .-- The Maryland Court of Appeals rendered a decision at Annapolis yesterday in the case of Alexan-der Benjamin Biscoe (colored) vs. State, convicted of the murder of Captain R. Dixon, of the sloop Mary J, in the Potomac river. Judge Robinson delivered the opinion, reversing the decision of the lower to Morgan, the committing magistrate, was ought not, therefore, to have been permitted to go to the jury. Since his conviction Biscoe confessed the murder and said no one

side of Prince street, near Royal.

Mr. J. R. Caton has bought from the heirs of A. S. Hooe, the Battery Rodgers proper-

ty, on south Lee street, for \$300.
It is reported that Capt. Samuel English has sold to a gentleman in Washington, for \$3,100, the square of ground, bound by Lee, Fairfax, Jefferson and Green streets, and which is improved by a two story brick

PERSONAL —Mr. Peter Wise, of this city, who has been seriously ill in Prince William county, is improving.

It will be seen by the Methodist Conference proceedings that Rev. R. Smithson has been returned to the charge of the M. E Church South in this city.
Mr. D. G. Watkins has recovered from a

sudden but short illness, brought on by tak-ing a severe cold on Monday last. Mr. J. Dreifus is quite sick at his home or

Commerce street.

THE OPERA HOUSE .- Sol Smith Russell will appear at the Opera House next Satur day night in his very funny new play, "Pa." It has the distinguished merits of originality of perfect cleanlines, of many humorous situations, and of a bright, brisk style. The play is interspersed with a great amount of Mr. Russell's famous songs and specialties, of which an entire new repertoire will be

introduced. The piece is full of pretty music, fine wardrobes and much parapher-CORPORATION COURT-Judge N. B. Meade presiding.—Henson Jackson vs. Va. Mid-land Railway; suit for \$80 damages for killing

new trial. Blacklock vs. Blacklock, decree for sale The wills of S. H. Janney and Owen Nu-gent were admitted to probate. Court adjourned till to morrow morning.

a cow; jury and verdict for \$57; motion for

POLICE REPORT .- Last night was clear and cool with one prisoner and seven lodgers at the station house.

The only case before the Mayor this morning was that of Wm. Whitley, colored, arrested by officer Simpson for being drunk and disorderly. He was fined \$3.

Burke, a notary public for this city in place of Mr. K. Kemper, resigned.

COMMUNICATED. Fire Laws.

Sec. 11. When a fire shall break out in any town the principal engineer and the fire wardens shall immediately go to the place of such fire and earry with them suitable badges of their offices."

—Extract from State Law.

Sec. S. If at any time of fire it shall be necessary for the sourcest or convenient working of

See S. If at any time of fire it shall be necessary, for the constant or conveniment working of the fire engine, or for the better and more effectual preservation of property, that idle or disorderly persons should be kept or removed to a convenient distance from such fire or property, the principal engineer shall have authority so to order and direct, and to form a line or lines for that purpose, and every person refusing to comply with such direction, or wilfully breaking through or passing such line or lines, or aiding threin shall forfait and pay a sum not exceeding ten dollars.

Sec. 13. It shall be the duty of the police con-stable to repair immediately, at the alarm of fire, to the place where such fire may be, for the preser-tation of the public peace, and the removal of all ration of the public peace, and the removal of all idle or suspected persons, &c., &c. - Extracts from on Act of Common Council. XX.

COMMUNICATED. Heaven gives us Nature's advantages; the gov-

MEGUTORS NOTICE—The subscribers having duly qualified before the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Virginia, as exceptors of the last will and testament of SAMUEL H. JANNEY, late of the said city of Alexandria, White; Luray, J. H. Davidson; Mt. Jack-son Mission, J. S. Hopkins; New Market Mission, T. T. Brierly. W. A. Harris, Westlams against the estate of the said Samuel H. Jannay, deceased, to present the same to the subdeceased, hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of the said Samuel H. Janney, deceased, to present the same to the subscribers, or either of them, for settlement, duly authenticat d; and all persons indebted to said state are hereby notified to make payment of the amounts doe by them to the subscribers, or either

amounts due by them to the subscribers, or either of them, without delay.

PHINEAS JANNEY.

EDWARD S. LEADBEATER,

EXTS. mh16 w4w

ROASTED COFFEES.—Freshly roasted at my store—Mocha, Java, Maracaibo, La Gusyra and Rio Coffees, all carefully selected, for sale by mr16

J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

To-morrow will be St. Patrick's Day but there will be no public celebration in this

The remains of the late Geo. P. Wise, who died in Prince William county on Monday last, were interred at Hickory Grove yesterday evening.

ing last was captured last summer and not last Sunday as published.

of Fairfax county, died at his home near Pohick, on Monday last, in the 55th year of his age. He had been ill a long time with consumption.

The stockholders of the Colonial Beach Improvement Company held a meeting yesterday, in Washington, for the purpose of considering a number of propositions to construct a telegraph line from the Beach to Fredericksburg, a listance of about forty port it to a subsequent meeting.

Baltimore Conference M. E. Church South-Adjournment.

This conference which has been in session in Leesburg since last Toursday, adjourned last night. Martinsburg, W. Va., was selected as the next place of meeting. Revs. Alfred A. Eskriage, Francis M. Mills, David Thomas, Thomas Hildebrand, George Stev-Mauzey, Maybury G. Balthis, Aaron Boone, Andrew Robey, William Hedges, John W. Ewan, Ephraim L. Kregler, Nelson Head, William C. Maloy and Wesley Hammond were continued in the superannuated rela-tion, and Revs. Edward F. Heterick, Larkin PROPERTY SALES.—Mr. I. W. Rudd has sold to Mr. Wm. Gibson, for \$1,000, the two story frame dwelling and lot on the north side of Prince street, near Popul man Hank, Asbury R. Martin, Joseph N. Sprangler and Francis A. Mercer in the supernumerary relation. Rev. Thomas Cooper was readmitted from the West Virginia Conference. Rev. Jno. Landstreet was continued in the superannuated relation. A resolution that the conference cease contributing towards the Wesleyan Female Institnte unless improvements cease was adopted.

Rev. Dr. S. K. Cox, from the board of church extension, reported a slight increase in receipts; \$950 have been appropriated. Thirty-two church have been aided. A woman's branch has paid the special work of building parsonages. Those who have been appointed on the board are Miss Eva Eggleton, Miss Clara Tucker, Mrs. Chas. Shipley, Miss Rose Bunting, Miss Lucy Dorsey, Miss M. B. Corson, Mrs. J. H. Fig-gett, Miss Mollie Conrad, Miss Fannie Sherrard and Mrs. L. W. Miller. The report of the treasurer showed that for the work \$2,000 had been paid. The amount assessed for the coming year is \$4,000, apportioned as follows: Baltimore district, \$625; East Baltimore, \$550; Washington, \$660; Winchester, \$530; Rockingham, \$500; Roanoke, \$415; Lewisburg, \$390, and Moorefield, \$330. Mr. T. J. Magruder, from the joint board of finance, reported that the amount of as-

sessments for bishop, superannuated fund and education would amount to \$12,200. The report of the Sunday school board showed \$43,585 expended. The report recommended a Sunday school day, and close attention to libraries, and was adopted. The report of the treasurer, Mr. H. H. Garrigue, of Baltimore, showed \$17,474 collected.

The committee on temperance recom

mended the readoption of the resolutions of last conference, which was done. On mo-tion of Rev. Rumsey Smithson it was resolved that the conference indorse the work of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Virginia.

The report of the statistical committee

showed local preachers, 102; white members, 37,300; colored members, 31; adults baptized, 1,744; infants baptized, 1,580; movement or note a decrease in the visible supchurches, 417; parsonages, 108; value,

Memorial Keener. Rev. Samuel W. Haddaway, of APPOINTMENT - Gov. Lee has appointed to Harry R. Burke, son of Mr. J. W. gomery Strother, who was born in Fauquier county, Va., in 1852, and was converted at

Kern, professor.

Winchester District.—John S. Martin,
Presiding Elder. Winchester, G. T. Tyler;
Winchester Circuit, J. H. Dulaney; Cedarville Circuit, S. Townsend; Front Royal, J.

Heaven gives us Nature's advantages; the government declares our right; yet there is a lack of inclination to grasp our opportunities. If there he difficulties let them but nerve us to renew our efforts; nover yield a good purpose. Why can't we have mail carriers and a general "boom" enterprise and prosperit; ? Let not the level-headed people of Alexandria abide other people's time, but see to their rights. I quote from Shakspeare a wish I am sure all would desire for Alexandria, viz "Heaven send you prosperous life," and the people "long and ever happy."

LOST—On Sunday morning, February 27th, a LED IRISH SETTER DOG with leather collar and ring around his neck. A liberal reward will be paid for his return to

WM. B. SMOOT,

LYECUTORS NOTICE—The subscribers having duly quasified before the Corporation

RIGHT A. H. Dinately, 'Centry ville Circuit, S. Townsend; Front Royal, J. E. Armstrong; Warren Circuit, D. L. Reid; Berryville Circuit, S. Townsend; Front Royal, J. E. Armstrong; Warren Circuit, D. L. Reid; Berryville Circuit, S. Townsend; Front Royal, J. E. Armstrong; Warren Circuit, D. L. Reid; Berryville Circuit, S. Townsend; Front Royal, J. E. Armstrong; Warren Circuit, D. L. Lynch, S. H. Engle, J. J. Engle, sup; Millwood Circuit, F. H. Snipley; Brucetown Circuit, F. H. Storber, J. P. Stump.

Rockingham District.—J. H. Waugh, Presiding Elder. Staunton, J. S. Gardner; Harrisonburg, L. C. Miller; Bridgewater, E. S. Kibler, F. J. Prettyman; Parnasus and Mt. Siduey, R. S. Cunningham, G. R. Jefferson; Monterey, W. W. Waters; Crab Bottom, H. A. Brown; Augusta, W. L. Dol ly; Staunton Circuit, W. O. Ross; Bell's Valley, C. G. Linthicum; Waynesborô', J. F. Boggs; Port Republic, H. D. Bishop; New Hope, G. T. D. Collins; Rockingham, R. M. Wheeler; East Rockingham Circuit, L. L. Lloyd; Milnes, W. M. Lane; Furnace

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, March 16 .- The opening of the stock market was strong, first prices ranging from 1/2 to 1/2 per cent, above last evening's final figures. There was a moderately well distributed business, and prices in the early dealings were weak throughout the eatire list, Richmond and West Point losing to per cent. There was a slight The keno paraphernalia which was burned in the court-room on Monday even rally, but in the latter part of the hour the weakness was again renewed, but at 11 o'clock the market was quiet and steady to firm at slight Mr. Thomas Denty; a well known citizen fractions under opening figures. Money easy at

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	Fultz	0.85	@	0.90
	Mixed	0.83	@	0.90
	Fair Whoat	0.80	- (4)	0.83
	Damp and tough	0.70	@	0.75
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Cut do Wheat Bran & ton & car... Brown Middlings "White Middlings " 18 75 18 50 21 00 Hominy Chop Cotton Seed Meal 20 00 Flour is without new features and steady Wheat is fairly active for sound, well-cleaned milling grades for prompt delivery at unchanged prices, but futures are again weak and lower nothing is reported and no reason is given for the present decline which is regarded by conservative dealers as entirely speculative; while there is

movement, or note a decrease in the visible sup

ply, and, though moderate, there is a constant for eign demand. Corn is strong and firm. Ryc and

Oats are steady. Produce continues in very

light receipt and is wanted at higher prices.

market continues very active and unsettled, the starting price for May delivery was \$1½ after which it fell off to \$0%, under heavy offerings, but has again rallied to \$1½. Trading has been on a very large scale all morning. May Corn 30%, May Oats 28 15-16. May Fork \$20.75. May Lard \$7.55.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Cotton firm; uplands 97_8 ; Orleans 101-16; futures steady. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat better. Corn lower. Pork firm at \$1650. Lard dull at \$7.70.

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